

## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION LANSING

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## **MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** September 21, 2017

**TO:** Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents

Public School Academy Directors, Principals

FROM: Venessa A. Keesler, Ph.D., Deputy Superintendent A

Division of Educator, Student, and School Supports (DESSS)

**SUBJECT:** MiSTEM Advisory Council Grants

Under <u>Section 99s(2)</u> and (3) in the fiscal year 2017 School Aid Act, \$2,850,000 is provided to fund grants recommended by the <u>MiSTEM Advisory Council</u> for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) programs in Michigan for awards up to \$100,000 for each selected program. Selected programs must be in the <u>STEMworks database</u>.

The Michigan Department of Education, on behalf of the MiSTEM Advisory Council, is seeking applications for funding under this grant program. More information and application directions can be found at the MiSTEM Advisory Council Grant webpage.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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